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Applicant: Hindley *et al.*

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For: NOVEL COMPOUNDS

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115

Sir:

This is a reply to the Examiner's communication mailed December 21, 1995, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for reply.

Also included with this response is a petition for a three (3) month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and authorization to deduct any required fees from Deposit Account #19-2570.

Please enter the following amendments and remarks into the record.

AMENDMENT

In the Claims:

- Please amend claims 1 and 9 as follows:

1.(twice amended) A method for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of [cardiovascular diseases and/or] atherosclerosis in a human or non-human mammal, which comprises administering to said human or non-human mammal in need thereof, an effective non-toxic amount of a compound of formula (I):